COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

Project Data

Originally Budgeted:

1987

TO:

City Council

Budgeted Fund: Capital Outlay Reserve

Amount Budgeted:

\$20,000

FROM:

City Manager

Bid Opening Date:

11/14/90

MEETING DATE:

October 17, 1990

AGENDA TITLE:

Plans and Specifications and Advertisement for Bids for

Zupo Field Backstop and Fencing, 350 North Washington Street

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council approve the plans and specifications for the above project and authorize advertising for bids.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION: This project will replace the existing backstop at Zupo Field with a higher backstop. The existing backstop has been in use for many years and is in need of major repairs. The new backstop will be 40 feet high and will provide additional safety for the spectators. Ball clubs playing in the park have also been complaining about foul balls that are lost because our backstop is too low. The 40-foot backstop will keep more balls in the field and save teams the cost of replacing them. This project will also install fencing around the left field bullpen area and the field drinking fountains to provide additional protection for the ball players.

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cc: Purchasing Officer

Parks and Recreation Director